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SUBJECT: SECOND DESTROYER FOR ECUADOR

1. WITH REFERENCE TO ADMIRAL POVEDA'S REQUEST TO THE PRESIDENT THAT THE USG TRANSFER A SECOND DESTROYER TO ECUADOR ON A HOT-SHIP TRANSFER BASIS, YOU SHOULD INFORM POVEDA THAT WHILE ALL ADDITIONAL FY 78 AND 79 DESTROYER TRANSFERS ARE ALREADY COMMITTED TO OTHER COUNTRIES, WE HAVE, AT THE SECRETARY'S REQUEST, PLACED ECUADOR ON A WAITING LIST FOR ANY DESTROYERS THAT BECOME AVAILABLE FOR TRANSFER BEYOND THAT TIME FRAME.

2. YOU SHOULD EMPHASIZE THAT THIS IS NOT A COMMITMENT
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FOR THE USG TO PROVIDE ANOTHER DESTROYER, SINCE WE CANNOT AT THIS TIME PREDICT THE AVAILABILITY, CONDITION, SUPPORTABILITY, ETC. OF DESTROYERS NOW IN THE US INVENTORY. YOU MAY SAY THAT AS THESE FACTORS BECOME CLEARER, THEY WILL BE PASSED ON TO THE ECUADOREAN NAVY BY THE US NAVY.
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